



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2011-03568

Keyword: Organisational Information/Governance

Subject: Chief Constable's Report

Request and Answer:

This is to inform you that the Police Service of Northern Ireland has now completed its search for the information you requested. The decision has been taken to disclose the located information to you in full.

Question 1

The first run of the Chief Constable's report was pulped so that portions might be changed: Could you please provide the following information.

How many copies were pulped/destroyed

Question 2

How much did they cost to produce including artwork etc?

Question 3

How much did the second run cost including artwork etc?

Question 4

Was any cost incurred from the Post Office (or any other carrier) for cancellation of the agreed drop date?

Question 5

How much did it cost to have the Post Office (or any other carrier) deliver to every household etc?

Answer

From reporting period 2009/10 onwards, the Chief Constable's Report has been published as an electronic document on the PSNI web site www.psni.police.uk. As such, from 2009/10, no copies have been pulped or destroyed and there are no associated production, artwork or postage costs.

Question 6

By what time was the report delayed to facilitate any changes being made?

Answer

The report was presented to Parliament within the allotted time pursuant to Section 58 of the Police (Northern Ireland) Act 2000, therefore the report was not delayed.

Question 7

What were the changes made?

Answer

As with most documents, this report would have existed in many draft forms. As such we do not have a formal record of any working amendments made.

If you have any queries regarding your request or the decision please do not hesitate to contact me on 028 9070 0164. When contacting the Freedom of Information Team, please quote the reference number listed at the beginning of this letter.

If you are dissatisfied in any way with the handling of your request, you have the right to request a review. You should do this as soon as possible, or in any case within two months of the date of issue of this letter. In the event that you require a review to be undertaken, you can do so by writing to the Head of Freedom of Information, PSNI Headquarters, 65 Knock Road, Belfast, BT5 6LE or by emailing foi@psni.pnn.police.uk.

If following an internal review, carried out by an independent decision maker, you were to remain dissatisfied in any way with the handling of the request you may make a complaint, under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to the Information Commissioner's Office and ask that they investigate whether the PSNI has complied with the terms of the Freedom of Information Act. You can write to the Information Commissioner at Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. In most circumstances the Information Commissioner will not investigate a complaint unless an internal review procedure has been carried out, however the Commissioner has the option to investigate the matter at his discretion.

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Personal details in respect of your request have, where applicable, been removed to protect confidentiality.